

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EDWARD THOMAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

ANTHONY HEDGEPATH, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No.: C 12-3071 CW (PR)

ORDER DIRECTING ALL PARTIES TO
NOTIFY COURT OF CONSENT OR
DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

No later than fourteen days from the date of this Order, all parties shall consent OR decline to proceed before a United States Magistrate Judge by signing and returning this notice to the Court.

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

PLAINTIFF:

Plaintiff consents to the assignment of (check one):

_____ Any Magistrate Judge

_____ Magistrate Judge Nandor Vadas

_____ Magistrate Judges (fill in names): _____

Dated: _____ Signature: _____

DEFENDANT (S) :

All Defendants consent to the assignment of (check one):

_____ Any Magistrate Judge

_____ Magistrate Judge Nandor Vadas

_____ Magistrate Judges (fill in names): _____

Dated: _____

Signature: _____
(Defendant(s)' Counsel)

DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

PLAINTIFF:

Plaintiff declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

DEFENDANT (S) :

One or more Defendants declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____
(Defendant(s)' Counsel)

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: 5/9/2013


CLAUDIA WILKEN
United States District Judge